



William J. Davies

October 22, 1941 - April 15, 2012

WILLIAM "BILL" J. DAVIES October 22, 1941 ~ April 15, 2012 Bill Davies went home to be with the Lord on April 15, 2012. Bill was born in Rapid City, SD and raised in Lead, SD but lived most of his adult life in Vancouver. Bill served in the Army in the early 1960's. He was a Ramp Serviceman for United Airlines for 30 years and retired in 1997. Bill married Alice in 1981 and they spent 31 fun-filled years together. They were best friends. Bill loved life and enjoyed fishing, hunting, and riding his motorcycle. The most important thing to Bill was his family. He was a loving, devoted husband, dad and grandpa "papa". He has left a hole in our lives that will never be filled and we miss him dearly. He is survived by his wife Alice; daughters Shelly (Scott) and Cindy(Chris); grandchildren Allison, A.J., Abigail, Curtis and Rebecca; brothers John and James; sisters Lois, Cathie, Helen, and Dorothy. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 3, 2012 at 2:00 pm at Glenwood Community Church, 12201 NE 72nd Avenue, Vancouver, WA 98686. Interment will be privately held at Willamette National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Portland Christian Schools Athletic Program. Donations can be made online at www.pcschools.org/giving or checks can be mailed to 12425 NE San Rafael St., Portland, OR 97230. Please note in the comment section "In memory of Bill Davies".

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“ I remember the first time that I got to shoot a handgun. Bill and my Dad were always getting together on one scheme or project or another. Bill had just gotten a .357 magnum and they were going to take it to the shooting range to give it a try. I went along to shoot my rifle. Meanwhile, Dad and Bill have got their heads together and are snickering. I had no clue, being only 10 or 12 years old, that this gun was going to buck like crazy! But I loved the shocked look on Bill's face after about 10 seconds, after I emptied the gun and came back and asked "Got any more bullets?" Between Bill and my dad it was a toss up as to who was the biggest practical joker, between the two of them you never knew what was going to happen. I miss them both...

Tena Keller (Johnson) - May 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Sincere sympathy to Alice and family. You're in our thoughts and prayers

Mary Ann Derby - April 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM